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| igh Pet | osed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Steven Leigh, Steven Mathew Louis</u> er Van Hoogevest and Henricus Tiemessen for <u>Method and Composition For</u> g A Biologically Active Compound With Low Water Solubility. | | | | |
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| [] | Applicant(s) hereby requests that the above-captioned application NOT BE PUBLISHED under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. | | | | |
| [] | Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure _ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent. | | | | |
| [X] | Applicant(s) requests that the published application include the following assignment information: Phares Pharmaceutical Research N.V. | | | | |
| Also | enclosed are: | | | | |
| [] | sheet(s) of drawings; | | | | |
| [X] | a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is [X] hereby made to <u>01</u> 302 841.0 filed in <u>the EPO</u> on <u>March 27, 2001</u> ; | | | | |
| | [X] in the declaration; | | | | |
| [] | a certified copy of the priority document; | | | | |
| [] | a General Authorization for Petitions for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees; | | | | |
| [] | an Assignment document; | | | | |
| [] | an Information Disclosure Statement; | | | | |
| [] | a patent application data sheet; and | | | | |
| [] | Other: | | | | |
| [X] | An [] executed [X] unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) | | | | |
| | [X] also is enclosed [] will follow. | | | | |
| [] | Small entity status is hereby claimed. | | | | |
| [] | Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence (an executed declaration referencing this amendment is enclosed or will follow): | | | | |
| | []This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to _ filed in _ on _; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference | | | | |
| | []This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 to U.S. Provisional Application No entitled _ and filed on _, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference | | | | |

- [] --This application is a continuation of International Application No. _ filed on _, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference--.
- [X] The filing fee has been calculated as follows [] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

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| | No. OF CLAIMS | | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE | FEE |
| Basic Application Fee | | | | | \$750.00 (1001) |
| Total Claims | 22 | MINUS 20 = | 2 | × \$18.00 (1202) = | 36.00 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | MINUS 3 = | | × \$84.00 (1201) = | |
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| Total Application Fee | | | \$786.00 | | |
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| [] | Parts of Application is respectfully requested. |
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| [] | A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed for the fee due. |
| [X] | Charge \$ <u>786.00</u> to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due. |
| [X] | The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any |

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